

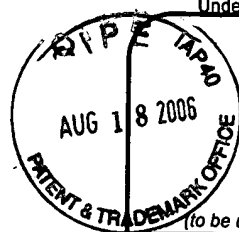
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This is in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of May 31, 2006, with a three month shortened statutory period to respond set to expire on August 31, 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.